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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

CHOU, KUANG CHUN

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CLEANING SUBSTRATE FOR CLEANING AND REGENERATING A MOLD For:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

By Official Action mailed March 19, 2003, restriction to one of the following inventions is required under 35 USC 121:

- Claims 1-6, drawn to a cleaning substrate. I.
- Claims 7-10, drawn to a method for cleaning a mold. П.

In response, Applicants hereby elect claims 1-6 for examination in this case.

The restriction is traversed for the reason that both claim sets are directed towards structure and/or processes involving cleaning, not molding per se, and should therefore be examined in a single application.

Early examination on the merits is courteously solicited.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including

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extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 07-1337 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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